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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the applications:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1 through 84 (Cancelled)

85. (Currently Amended) An architectural molding for mounting at the intersection of a wall and a ceiling, comprising:

an intersection of a wall and ceiling, wherein the wall and ceiling are substantive or-
thogonal to one another, a single extruded monolithic closed cell plastic foam member mounted
at the intersection of the wall and the ceiling, the foam member having an exposed front side
having including a decorative front surface profile of crown molding, a rear side, a first longi-
tudinally extending outer edge between the front side and the rear side, a second longitudinally
extending outer edge between the front side and the rear side and spaced from the first longitu-
dinally extending outer edge and forming a central portion therebetween, and the plastic foam
member being resiliently compressible and resiliently flexible and having a thickness at least
3/16 inch;

a first layer of ~~pressure sensitive~~ adhesive affixed to a first portion of the rear side adja-
cent the first longitudinally extending outer edge; and

a second layer of ~~pressure sensitive~~ adhesive affixed to a second portion of the rear side
adjacent the second longitudinally extending outer edge, the second layer of ~~pressure sensitive~~
adhesive being oriented about perpendicular to the first layer of ~~pressure sensitive~~ adhesive,
wherein one of the first and second layers of adhesive is attached to the wall and the other layer
of adhesive is attached to the ceiling; so that the architectural molding is capable of being effec-
tively installed at the intersection of a wall and a ceiling; and

the plastic foam member being ~~self supporting from the first layer of pressure sensitive
adhesive to the second layer of pressure sensitive adhesive, and having asupported in a position
such that the central portion extending extends~~ between the ~~first layer of pressure sensitive ad-
hesive and the second layer of pressure sensitive adhesive, the central portion being wall and
ceiling and is~~ spaced from the intersection of the wall and the ceiling when the plastic foam

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~~member is installed at the intersection of the wall and the ceiling, the central portion being the majority of the plastic foam member rear side without deformation of the shape thereof.~~

86. (Currently Amended) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said ~~exposed-front~~ side is corona treated to accept paint.

87. (Previously Presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said ~~exposed-front~~ side is pre-primed to accept paint.

88. (Previously Presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said molding is packaged in a roll.

89. (Previously Presented) The architectural molding according to claim 88, wherein said roll of molding is packaged in a continuous length of at least 120 feet with a diameter of no more than 30 inches.

90. (Previously Presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said plastic foam member is made of a material selected from the group consisting of polyethylene, rubber latex, polypropylene, polyurethane and polyvinyl chloride.

91. (Previously Presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said plastic foam member is made of polyethylene foam.

92. (Previously Presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said plastic foam member has a density of less than 9 lbs./cu. ft.

93. (Cancelled)

94. (New) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein the decorative front surface profile is a crown molding profile.

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95. (New) An architectural molding comprising:

a plastic foam member having a front side having a decorative front surface profile, a rear side, first and second longitudinally extending outer edges, the first and second outer edges forming first and second flat surface profiles at the outer edges of the member, wherein the first and second flat surface profiles are positioned in spaced apart substantially orthogonal relationship to one another upon forming the member,

a first layer of pressure sensitive adhesive affixed to the first longitudinally extending outer edge;

a second layer of pressure sensitive adhesive affixed to the second longitudinally extending outer edge, and wherein a central portion of the front surface profile extends at an angle between the first and second orthogonal flat surface profiles.

96. (New) A plastic architectural crown molding comprising:

a single extruded monolithic closed cell plastic foam member having a front side with a decorative front surface profile of a crown molding design, a rear side with a surface profile which substantially matches the front surface profile, first and second longitudinally extending outer edges between the front side and the rear side which are spaced from one another;

a first layer of pressure sensitive adhesive positioned on the rear side adjacent the first longitudinally extending outer edge;

a second layer of pressure sensitive adhesive affixed to a second portion of the rear side adjacent the second longitudinally extending outer edge, the first and second layers of pressure sensitive adhesive having widths to cover only an edge portion of the rear surface.

97. (New) An architectural crown molding positioned at the intersection of a wall and ceiling, comprising:

a monolithic plastic foam member extending at an acute angle to and between the wall and ceiling, the member having an exposed front side, a rear side, first and second longitudinally extending outer edge between the front side and the rear side,

a first layer of pressure sensitive adhesive affixed to a first portion of the rear side adjacent the first longitudinally extending outer edge;

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a second layer of pressure sensitive adhesive affixed to a second portion of the rear side adjacent the second longitudinally extending outer edge, wherein the first and second layers of adhesive are attached to the wall or ceiling respectively so as to support the member between the wall and ceiling.
